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Attachments: NYC-MacBride-RecyclingPerformanceMetricsDRAFT01 (002).docx; 2020-State-of-Curbside-Recycling.pdf

Hi Swarupa,

Thanks for forwarding. We'll start digging into this.

Andy

From: Ganguli, Swarupa <Ganguli.Swarupa@epa.gov>
Sent: Thursday, June 25, 2020 6:23 PM
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Hi Andy – This is what I forwarded to Ron, but these documents will be relevant for our discussion. I found out today that our recycling strategy will focus on contamination, material processing efficiency and end-markets, so the metrics should align with these strategies. We can discuss more on Monday. I think any of the metrics related to processing efficiencies will probably come from the RMPSS reports, which I forwarded to you earlier.

Talk to you on Monday—have a good weekend.

Thanks,
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Hi Ron – Based on our discussion this morning, I think the best source for a consolidated metrics discussion are the following two documents.

- Samantha MacBride's paper for the original AR Measurement Group that she prepared last summer. I have highlighted the metrics that may be relevant to us.
- The Recycling Partnership's 2020 State of the Curbside report; page 59 has a list of glossary of terms associated with the recycling system.

I have not seen any formal definitions for processing yield, yield loss and other metrics related to post-MRF processing efficiency, but we have some draft definitions I will pull out from our old recycling metric processing system studies.

We can talk more on Monday.

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